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Your recent letter to General Walters has been read with interest and forwarded to this office for reply.

We will be pleased to consider your son for whatever openings we have commensurate with his background and experience. Enclosed is a preliminary application form which he should complete and return to us at his convenience. I should point out, though, that personnel strength reductions over the past few years have greatly limited employment opportunities. Our needs are restricted primarily to new clerical employees and those applicants with technical skills of a very specific nature.

We appreciate your writing to us concerning your son, and you may be sure he will receive every consideration.

Sincerely,

Signed

F. W. M. Janney
Director of Personnel

Enclosure

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Lieutenant General Vernon F. Walters
Deputy Director
Central Intelligence Agency
Washington, D. C.

Dear General Walters -

After our last meeting on a Bateau-Mouche during an 8th of November 1942 Anniverseray, a long silence - then this letter. I am sure that your current job is at least as interesting as the post in Paris.

I am writing you on behalf of my elder son, in reality my stepson, whose father,

was killed in action. My marriage with his mother was the first one celebrated after the landings.

He has been with us here in England for a couple of years, with his two small daughters, after the breakup of his marriage. He has had several jobs, but their scope and possibilities have been so limited because of his American citizenship, although his mother is British.

He has a proven background in PR work, in editing & Publishing in the States, as well as similar work both in West Germany & England. He completed his military service, receiving a Secret clearance while serving with:

Where I failed to be selected for your Agency in 1955-1956,

I now see that I had at least "two strikes" against me - an English wife & my Army background. So, Allen Dulles could also easily cite the fact that at that time there were only some twelve slots for military personnel, serving or retired. I pray that my elder son may have better luck and consideration, if only through our old liaison & friendship.